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Food Security at the U.N. General Assembly



This September, multiple events around the U.N. General Assembly highlighted U.S. and global progress on food security and nutrition commitments. You'll find information on the events and resources for each below.

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The New Alliance for Food Security and Nutrition: Progress and the Way Forward

The United States Government, along with other G8 members, co-hosted a side event at the United Nations General Assembly titled *New Alliance: Progress and the Way Forward*. Announced just before the 2012 G8 Summit at Camp David last May, the **New Alliance for Food Security and Nutrition** is a commitment by G8 nations, African countries, and private sector partners to support agricultural development in Africa.

The event brought together representatives from New Alliance and G8 countries, as well as the private sector and civil society, to discuss progress on the New Alliance since May.

Cooperation Frameworks:

New! Burkina Faso English | French
New! Cote d'Ivoire English | French
New! Mozambique English | Portuguese

Original three New Alliance Cooperation Frameworks: Ethiopia, Ghana, Tanzania

For the latest New Alliance Cooperation Frameworks, visit the DFID website.

Additional resources:

- UPDATE: Feed the Future's May 2013 newsletter highlights New Alliance progress
- UPDATE: New Alliance Progress Report
- Fact Sheet: The New Alliance for Food Security and Nutrition (updated 2013 fact sheet)
- Blog: 5 More Questions about the New Alliance
- Press Release on the event and announcements
- Remarks: USAID Administrator Shah at the event
- Food Security and the G8
- Fact Sheet: Rising Food Prices
- Background Briefing
- Final Report: Expert Consultation on the G8 New Alliance for Food Security and Nutrition ICT Extension Challenge
- Final Update on the U.S. G8 Presidency on State.gov (pdf)

Feed the Future: Partnering with Civil Society

This year, at a side event during the 2012 U.N. General Assembly, U.S. Secretary of State Hillary Rodham Clinton, along with government and civil society representatives, highlighted Feed the Future's progress and the role that civil society organizations—as critical partners—play in that progress as we collectively work toward achieving sustainable food security. *New York Times* columnist Nicholas Kristof moderated two panels with government and civil society representatives.

Additional resources:

- Fact Sheet: Feed the Future and Civil Society
- Press Release on the event and announcement
- Secretary Clinton's remarks at the event
- Watch the archived broadcast on Livestream
- Blog: Secretary Clinton Highlights Civil Society Contributions to End Global Hunger

Scaling Up Nutrition in the First 1,000 Days

The U.N. General Assembly held a high-level meeting on Scaling Up Nutrition on September 27. For more on the U.S. commitment to reducing undernutrition, read our <u>article</u> on nutrition highlights around the U.N. General Assembly.

- Article: U.S. Government Officials Highlight Commitment to Reducing Poverty and Undernutrition
- Recording of the high-level meeting on the UN website
- Blog on USAID.gov: Results, Results, Results
- Scaling Up Nutrition movement website
- Feed the Future and Nutrition fact sheet
- Child Survival at USAID